

**476A.14 Penalties.**

1. Any person who commences to construct a facility as provided in [this subchapter](#) without having first obtained a certificate, or who constructs, operates, or maintains any facility other than in compliance with a certificate issued by the commission or a certificate amended pursuant to [this subchapter](#), or who causes any of these acts to occur, shall be liable for a civil penalty of not more than ten thousand dollars for each violation or for each day of continuing violation. Civil penalties collected pursuant to [this subsection](#) shall be forwarded by the clerk of court to the treasurer of state for deposit in the commerce revolving fund created in [section 546.12](#).

2. The district court shall have exclusive jurisdiction to grant restraining orders and temporary or permanent injunctive relief as may be necessary to obtain compliance with [this subchapter](#).

3. Persons convicted of violating any provision of [this subchapter](#) shall be guilty of a simple misdemeanor.

[C77, 79, 81, §476A.14]

[2001 Acts, 1st Ex, ch 4, §35, 36; 2009 Acts, ch 181, §52; 2023 Acts, ch 19, §2683; 2024 Acts, ch 1170, §369](#)

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